

Proposed Bill No. 61

January Session, 2013

LCO No. 27

Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by: SEN. CRISCO, 17th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF EPINEPHRINE TO CHILDREN IN SCHOOLS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 10-212a of the general statutes be amended to allow a
- 2 school nurse to administer epinephrine to a student in an emergency
- 3 situation when the school does not have a written order from the
- 4 student's physician or other health care provider for the student to
- 5 receive such medication.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow school nurses to administer epinephrine to children in the event of an emergency without a physician's order.